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A new picture postcard of the University of Victoria, shown above, is now available in the drugstore and bookstore of the Campus Services building. The color reproduction shows McPherson Library and Elliott building, left; Cornett building, right; and MacLaurin building, bottom. Photographer is John L. Barnard.

Plans Shape Up

Programmes for the University Open House scheduled for March 4 and 5 will demonstrate the full range of academic activities at the University, chairman R.R. Jeffels reports.

There will be special displays, exhibitions, musical and theatrical performances, scientific demonstrations, visits to laboratories, and lectures. Athletic events, including soccer, basketball and rugby are planned.

Special areas of interest will be a showing of films for children, closed-circuit monitoring of the Computing Centre, operation of the language laboratories and presentations on astronomy and laser beams.

Full details of programmes and a map of the campus will be available at special information booths on all University parking lots during Open House Saturday

March 4, 10:30 am to 9:30 pm and Sunday March 5, 1 pm to 5 pm.

On Friday, March 3 at 8 pm the Cunningham Building will be officially opened by Hon. Ray G. Williston. Dr. D.M. Ross, Dean of Science, University of Alberta will deliver a special lecture.

Bid Accepted

The University Board of Governors Monday awarded Farmer Construction Ltd. the contract for the McPherson Library extension. The company tendered a low bid of \$2,527,900, a level of 6.8 per cent below budget.

The project, expected to be completed by mid-1973, is a regularly-scheduled capital construction project in the university's development programme. Turf has already been lifted from the site which extends from the Library toward Ring Road.

Workshop Planned

Learning disorders in children will be examined at a weekend workshop March 11 and 12 on campus.

The Seventh Annual Neuropsychology Workshop, sponsored by the Department of Psychology, will have two distinguished speakers. Dr. M. Sam Rabinovitch, Department of Psychology, McGill University, and Dr. Marcel Kinsbourne, Department of Pediatric Neurology, Duke University Medical Centre, will discuss the workshop theme, "Language Development and Associated Disorders."

Dr. Rabinovitch, child psychologist and director of the Children's Clinic, Montreal Children's Hospital, teaches childhood behavior at McGill. Dr. Kinsbourne is the author of articles on information processing, cognitive effects of brain lesions and development of children's learning abilities.

Registration fee is \$2. Further information may be obtained from the Department of Psychology, Local 236.

Gothic Topic

The Department of History in Art is sponsoring a three-week series of lectures and seminars on the theme of the Gothic Cathedral.

The main speaker will be the distinguished English mediaevalist Dr. Peter Kidson of the Courtauld Institute of Art, London. He will give three major lectures on Tuesday evenings, March 7, 14, and 21, at 7:30 pm in Room 168, Elliott building.

Dr. Kidson will trace the development of Gothic architecture from early cathedrals like Canterbury, through the mature achievements of Chartres and Amiens, to the huge late Gothic edifices of Florence and Milan. In other lectures he will investigate in depth the problems of the mediaeval master mason.

There will be an introduction to the series of 16 lectures and seminars by Richard Morris (History in Art). Full details may be obtained from Professor Morris, N Hut, Local 551.



Sea Lecture by Dr Ross

Dr.D.M Ross, Dean of Science, University of Alberta, will show his award-winning science film, "Passengers or Partners?" during his keynote lecture on "Living and Learning by the Sea" at the official opening of the Cunningham Building Friday, March 3.

The building's dedication plaque will be unveiled by Hon. Ray Williston at 8 pm Friday. The ceremonies will then move to MacLaurin 144 for the lecture by Dr. Ross at 8:30 pm.

Dr. Ross will comment on the place of marine sciences in the lives and learning experiences of communities and universities located on the sea. The film which won the Bronze Award (Bucranium) of the 14th Festival of Scientific Films of the University of Padua, will be presented as an example of the kinds of things scientists can discover in the marine environment.

Dr. Ross is a fellow of the Royal Society of Canada and the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and was a member of the governing board of the American Institute of Biological Science. He received his PhD and ScD from Cambridge University.

Aid Booklet Ready

The Association of Commonwealth Universities has recently published a new handbook, *Awards for Commonwealth University Staff, 1972-74*.

The purpose of the 102-page publication is to provide basic information about sources of financial aid for academic and administrative staff who wish to undertake research, make study visits or teach in a Commonwealth country. The handbook will be revised every two years.

Further information may be obtained from R.J. Ferry, Registrar, Local 661.

Better Lectures, Lower Costs

How to provide better teaching at lower costs will be demonstrated by Dr. Jack Michael of Western Michigan University at an on-campus meeting March 2.

The meeting, sponsored by the Alma Mater Society and the Departments of Education and Psychology, will be held in the Commons Block Dining Room, Craigdarroch College, at 8 pm Thursday.

Dr. Michael was recently honored by the American Psychological Association for his contributions to innovative teaching. He will report here on some of his experimental analyses of instructional techniques.

In addition, Dr. Ron Norton, University of Winnipeg, will discuss his experiments with techniques similar to those of Dr. Michael.

Tenure Brief

President Hugh Farquhar will appear before the Legislative Committee on Tenure Feb. 28 at which he will present a brief.

President Farquhar said, "We will try to indicate to the Legislative Committee what tenure is and what it accomplishes."

Receipts in Mail

Income tax receipts for the United Appeal have been sent out through campus mail. Anyone who made a contribution and who may not have received a receipt should contact Peter Darling at the Computing Centre, Local 431.

The Cunningham Building for Biological Sciences, shown above, will be officially opened Friday, March 3 with the unveiling of a dedication plaque by Hon. Ray Williston at 8 pm. Dr. D.M. Ross, Dean of Science, University of Alberta, will then give the keynote lecture at 8:30 pm in MacLaurin 144.



Prof Heads Spelling Society

Dr. John Downing (Education) has been elected president of the Simplified Spelling Society, a British group dedicated to eliminating inconsistencies in spellings. Past president is Sir James Pitman, creator of the initial teaching alphabet.

Dr. Downing, who will serve an indefinite term as president, commented that the society's work was intangible due to the nature of the subject.

"Language and its spellings cannot be changed by decree in the English world; it is only through common usage that spellings are established."

The society uses lectures, tours and other means at its disposal to attempt to influence common usage.

Dr. Downing said the necessary flexibility of the English language is at its best in Canada, where either British or American spellings are accepted.

Krich is Everyman

Everyman will be the next and last major production of UVic's Theatre Department this term. Dr. Wandalie Henshaw, announced recently.

The 16th century morality play will open at Phoenix Theatre March 23 and continue nightly at 8 pm until April 2. It will feature John Krich (Theatre) in the title role and will be directed by Theatre Chairman Ralph Allen. *Everyman* will be the last play Dr. Allen will direct before his departure in June.

faculty

Dr. S.A. Ryce, Head of the Department of Chemistry, will give a seminar to the Department of Chemistry, Simon Fraser University, March 10. He will speak on "Some Effects of Charge Polarization in Nuclear Fission."

Dr. Michael Hadley, (Germanic Languages and Literature), was recently presented with a recognition award for outstanding

service as a member of the University of Winnipeg's Board of Governors. Dr. Hadley came to UVic from Winnipeg last June. Winnipeg faculty have been eligible for election to the Board from the Senate since the University was founded.

Dr. Colin Partridge, (English), has just had published a critique of Arthur Miller's play, *The Crucible*, (Blackwell, Oxford).

Dr. R.M. Pearce, (Physics), recently addressed the Victoria Branch of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers on the topic of "TRIUMF, a Cyclotron for Interprovincial Nuclear Co-operation." A one-sixteenth scale model of the TRIUMF project will be at UVic for open house weekend.

Dr. H.W. Dosso, Head of the Department of Physics, presented a paper in Ottawa this week at a workshop on Geomagnetic Induction Problems. He also attended a meeting of the National Research Council Subcommittee on Geomagnetism.

Dr. H.S. Sandhu, (Physics), attended the Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Symposium sponsored by the National Research Council in Ottawa recently.

Dr. Samuel Macey, Department of English, will have two papers published which were read to learned societies recently.

"Shakespeare in Germany," given at the University of Washington, will appear in *Eighteenth Century Studies*. His paper, "Theatrical Satire," read at McMaster University, has been selected for inclusion in *The Varied Pattern*, published by the Association for 18th Century Studies.

Dr. Macey has also been invited to read a paper at Cambridge. He will discuss aspects of the impact of technology on literature during the eighteenth century.

Dr. J.L. Brenner, a Visiting Professor of Mathematics here last year and now at the University of Arizona, will be on campus Feb. 28 to Mar. 3. Those interested in meeting Dr. Brenner may contact Dr. Riddell in the Department of Mathematics.

Professor D.H. Monro of Monash University, Clayton, Victoria, Australia will take up a Commonwealth Research Fellowship at the University of Victoria July 1, 1972.

As a Visiting Fellow, Professor Monro will be attached to the Department of Philosophy for one year. During this time he will engage in research on British moralist Bernard de Mandeville; recent developments in ethics; and literary aesthetics.

Professor Monro is Foundation Professor of Philosophy at Monash. His department is considered to be one of the best in Australia.

The Commonwealth Research Fellowship was established under the Canadian Commonwealth Scholarship program for the purpose of bringing scholars of established reputation to the Canadian universities to pursue research.

calendar of events

SATURDAY 26

- 2:30 pm Women's Field Hockey/Campus, UVic I vs UVic II
- 7:15 pm Film/MacLaurin 144 "The Blow-Up"
- 9:15 pm Film/MacLaurin 144 "The Blow-Up"

SUNDAY 27

- 1:30 pm Men's Field Hockey/Campus, UVic vs Castaways
- 7:15 pm Film/MacLaurin 144 "Zabriskie Point"
- 9:15 pm Film/MacLaurin 144 "Zabriskie Point"

MONDAY 28

- 12:30 pm Lecture/Cornett 112.Lt.-Gen. E.L.M. Burns will speak on "Disarmament and Military Policy"
- 1:30 pm Lecture/Elliott 160.Professor R.F.W. Bader (Chemistry) will speak on "Prediction and Interpretation of Chemistry in terms of Electronic Charge Distribution."
- 7:30 pm Film/MacLaurin 144 "Das Wirtshaus Im Spessart" (German)

TUESDAY 29

- 12:30 pm Lecture/SUB Upper Lounge, David Anderson (MP-Esquimalt-Saanich) will speak on "Taking on the U.S. Government"
- 1:30 pm Lecture/Elliott 168.Neil Thompson (French) will speak on "Wit & Wisdom"
- 4:00 pm Lecture/Clearihue 301.Dr. J.L. Brenner, University of Arizona, will speak on "Covering Theorems for finite nonabelian groups" (Mathematics)
- 7:30 pm Seminar/Craigdarroch College 206-7 Dr. I. McT. Cowan of the University of British Columbia will speak on "Behaviour" (Bacteriology & Biochemis-

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 7:30pm Lecture/Elliott 168. Richard Morris (History in Art) will speak on "An Introduction to the Gothic Cathedral"
 8:00pm Faculty and Staff Badminton/Gym

WEDNESDAY 1

- 12:30pm Lecture/MacLaurin 103. Dr. John Greene (French) will speak on "La Belle Epoque"
 4:00pm Lecture/Clearihue 301. Dr. J.L. Brenner, University of Arizona, will speak on "The location of proper values of matrices: Standard and generalized theorems for finding regions in which the proper values of matrices must lie" (Mathematics)
 7:30pm Seminar/Lansdowne Seminar Lounge 203/4 CUSO Information Night
 8:15pm Hockey/Esquimalt Sports Centre UVic vs Butlers

THURSDAY 2

- 2:00pm Lecture/Clearihue 204. Dr. R.C. Riddell of the University of British Columbia will speak on "Elementary Methods of locating the zeros of a polynomial" (Mathematics)
 4:00pm Lecture/Clearihue 301. Dr. B. Chang of the University of British Columbia will speak on "Characters of Chevalley Groups" (Mathematics)
 7:30pm Men's Volleyball League/Gym. All students, faculty and staff welcome
 8:00pm Lecture/Craigdarroch College Dining Room. Dr. Jack Michael of Western Michigan University will speak on "Applications of Behavioral Technology to College and University Teaching"

FRIDAY 3

- 12:40pm Fitness for female faculty & staff/Hut P, Dance Studio

SATURDAY 4

- 1:00pm Women's Field Hockey/Campus UVic II vs Bye
 2:30pm Women's Field Hockey/Campus UVic I vs Sandpipers I
 7:15pm Film/MacLaurin 144 "Wild Strawberries"

- 9:15pm Film/MacLaurin 144 "Wild Strawberries"
 10:45pm Film/MacLaurin 144 "What's Up Tiger Lily?"

SUNDAY 5

- 11:00am Men's Field Hockey/Campus UVic vs Rebels
 7:15pm Film/MacLaurin 144 "The Seventh Seal"
 9:15pm Film/MacLaurin 144 "The Seventh Seal"

MONDAY 6

- 1:30pm Lecture/Elliott 168. Dr. O. Spreen (Psychology) will speak on "Norman O. Brown"

TUESDAY 7

- 4:00pm Co-Ed Softball League/Softball Diamonds near the UVic gym. All faculty, students and staff welcome
 7:30pm Seminar/Craigdarroch College 206-7 A.E. Cotton will speak on "The Influence of pesticides on nutrition", Miss Ingrid A. White will speak on "The Influence of pesticides on animals" and Miss E. Richter will speak on "The Influence of pesticides on man" (Bacteriology and Biochemistry)
 8:00pm Faculty and staff badminton/Gym

WEDNESDAY 8

- 3:30pm Lecture/Cornett 112. The Honourable Mr. Justice T.R. Berger, newly appointed Supreme Court Justice, will speak on "Public Interest Law in Canada"
 7:30pm Film/MacLaurin 144 "Hamlet"
 7:30pm Lecture/Elliott 168. Dr. Peter Kidson of the Courtauld Institute of Art, London, will speak on "Early Gothic in Northern Europe." (History in Art)

THURSDAY 9

- 12:30pm Lecture/Elliott 168. Dr. John Tulip, a member of the Electrical Engineering Department of the University of Alberta, will speak on "The CO₂ Laser"
 7:30pm Ladies Basketball League/Gym. All faculty, students and staff welcome

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- 8:00pm Lecture/Sedgewick 101. Professor C.J. Herington of Stanford University will speak on "The Third Mask: Aeschylus, Seneca, and the Absurd" (Classics)
 9:30pm Men's Basketball League/Gym. All faculty, students and staff welcome

FRIDAY 10

- 12:30pm Lecture/Cornett 108. Dr. Hans Eichner, of the University of Toronto will speak on "The Ungoverned Unicorn. Reflections of Nietzsche's Thought in Literature"
 12:30pm Lecture/Sedgewick 101. Professor C.J. Herington of Stanford University will speak on "Prometheus in Byzantium" (Classics)
 12:40pm Fitness for female faculty & staff/Hut P, Dance Studio
 3:30pm Lecture/Cornett 170. Dr. Frank Wesley, Professor of History of Psychology and Child Psychology at Portland State University will speak on "What in the History of Psychology has led to B.F. Skinner's Book - *Beyond Freedom and Dignity?*"
 7:15pm Film/MacLaurin 144 New Cinema Short Films
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